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Douglas Smith GM & S LLC 2480 West 500 North Delta, Utah 84624

Subject: Notice of File Closure, GM & S LLC, High Desert Mine, S/027/0110, Millard County,

Utah

Dear Mr. Smith:

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining hereby closes and retires the file for the referenced project. The Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (Notice) was determined complete in 2006, but the Division never received a reclamation surety. Annual permit fees have not been paid since 2007. The area proposed for mining was inspected on June 2, 2015, and no evidence of mining operations was found.

If you desire to conduct any future mining or exploration related activity, you will need to submit a new Notice to the Division, supply a reclamation surety, and obtain approval from other appropriate agency(ies), <u>prior</u> to creating any disturbance.

Please contact Peter Brinton at 801-538-5258 or me at 801-538-5261 if you have questions about this action.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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cc: Todd Leeds, BLM-Fillmore (UMC 381872, UMC 381873, no UTU number); tleeds@blm.gov P:\GROUPS\MINERALS\WP\M027-Millard\S0270110-HighDesert\final\RETIRE-12142015.doc

